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Applicant(s): MOLTO et al.

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For: **A LIGHTING APPARATUS HAVING MEANS FOR COMPENSATING FOR FAILURE OF LIGHTING ON A BEND**

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION (37 C.F.R. 1.116)

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Sir:

This Amendment is filed in response to a Final Official Action dated September 18, 2005 for which a three month shortened statutory period of time for response expires December 18, 2006. Applicants respectfully request entry and consideration of this Amendment After Final Rejection.

Amendments to the Specification are reflected on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.